

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA

SANTA BARBARA YOUTH COUNCIL

Monday, November 18, 2019 5:15 p.m.

Louise Lowry Davis Center 1232 De la Vina Street, Santa Barbara

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to Order at 5:26 pm by Chair Quinn Stefan.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Led by Vice Chair Julia Minor

Youth Council Members Present

Chau, Tim
Dunn, Kent
Flanagin, Davis
Goodman, Laila
Minor, Julia
Proulx-Kelly, River
Stefan, Quinn

Junior High Representatives

Calzadilla, Dhaira Weber, Madison

Staff Present

Isis Castañeda, Youth Council Advisor

Liaisons Present

Oscar Gutierrez, City Councilmember

Youth Council Members Absent

Chow, Alex Chow, Victoria Broeffle, Sean Palmerin Piña, Marco Sánchez Gómez, Veronica Thakrar, Alok

CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

None

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

COUNCIL AND STAFF COMMUNICATIONS

Isis Castañeda, Youth Council Advisor

- Please fill out Parent and Youth Council contact roster.
- Introducing the three new Youth Council members. Kent Dunn, Lily Daphinee, Genesis Zarate. Member Dunn is able to vote on new business items since he has been sworn in.
- The Youth Council needs to decide a day for the end of the year Bake Sale as one of our fundraisers.
- The second draft of the PSA is available for us to watch and for feedback to be given.

Oscar Gutierrez, City Councilmember

 Councilmember Gutierrez gave an update on the PSA- what is still needed is the background, to finalize the music and to translate the facts to Spanish. As well as a quick update on the Candidates and winners for the City Council.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Subject: Approval of the Minutes – For Action (Attachment)

Recommendation: That the Youth Council waive the reading and approve the minutes of the meeting held on November 4 2019.

It was moved and seconded by Youth Council members Minor and Chau respectively, to approve the minutes for the meeting on November 4, 2019.

Members Chau, Flanagin, Goodman, Minor, Proulx-Kelly, and Stefan in favor. Member Dunn abstained. Motion carried.

2. Subject: Letter of Support for improved Tobacco Regulation in Santa Barbara County- For Discussion and Action

Recommendation: That the Youth Council vote to support the proposed policy initiative being presented by CEASE Coalition to the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors for regulating the sale and distribution of tobacco products via attached letter.

It was moved and seconded by Youth Council members Flanagin and Minor respectively, to send a letter of support of the proposed policy initiative being presented by CEASE Coalition to the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors for regulating the sale and distribution of tobacco products. All in favor, Motion carried.

3. Subject: What is LOVE Healthy Relationship Training – For Training Only

Recommendation: That the Youth Council participate in healthy relationship activities led by Christy Stillwell, Founder of What is Love.

4. Subject: Subcommittee Breakout Groups - Discussion and Action

Recommendation: That the Youth Council members breakout into subcommittees; Youth-Led Candidates Forum, Holiday Fundraising, Anti-Vaping PSA and Speakout, and Marketing and, if necessary, take action to recommend an item for consideration at a future YC meeting. The public is invited to participate.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 7:05 pm.

Next regular meeting: Louise Lowry Davis Center

1232 De la Vina Street, Santa Barbara *Monday November 16, 2019 5:15pm*